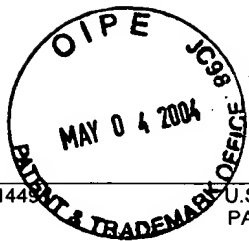


FORM PTO-1449 (REV. 7-80)		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY. DOCKET NO. H-769-03		SERIAL NO. 09/840,071	
LIST OF DOCUMENTS CITED BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary)				APPLICANT H. ARITA et al			
				FILING DATE April 24, 2001		GROUP 3446	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
* EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (If Appropriate)
zn	AA	3,701,891	10/31/72	Cohn	—	—	
	AB	6,047,274	4/04/00	Johnson et al	—	—	
	AC	2002 0084655	7/04/02	Lof et al	—	—	
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		DOCUMENT	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO
	AL						<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	AM						<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	AN						<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	AO						<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
	AP						<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)							
zn	AR	Electric Utility Week, "Appeals Court, FERC Uphold Federal Authority over Interstate Power Pools", Mar. 16, 1987, p. 3.					
zn	AS	Transmission & Distribution World, pNA, "Pooling Resources in Southern Africa", Feb., 2001.					
zn	AT	Meisen, Peter, "Linking Electricity for Peace: A Compelling Global Strategy", The Bulletin of Science, Technology & Society, Vol. 17, No. 4, 1997.					
EXAMINER Dean Nguyen				DATE CONSIDERED 9/6/04			
* EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.							



FORM PTO-1449 (REV. 7-80)	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	ATTY. DOCKET NO. H-769-03	SERIAL NO. 09/840,071
LIST OF DOCUMENTS CITED BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary)		APPLICANT H. ARITA et al	
		FILING DATE April 24, 2001	GROUP 3446

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

* EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (If Appropriate)
	AA					
	AB					
	AC					
	AD					
	AE					
	AF					
	AG					
	AH					
	AI					
	AJ					
	AK					

RECEIVED

MAY 11 2004

GROUP 3600

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
	AL					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	AM					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	AN					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	AO					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	AP					<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

JN	AR	"Long-Distance Inerties Connect Faraway Areas", POWER International Edition, T&D Technology, Mar. 1991, pp. 22-23.
	AS	
	AT	

EXAMINER <i>Sean Nguyen</i>	DATE CONSIDERED <i>9/6/04</i>
--------------------------------	----------------------------------

\* EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.